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Price, \$24 per annum.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON:—F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E.C. GORDON & GORDON, 30, Cornhill, E.C. HENDY & CO., 37, Watling Street, E.C. SAMUEL DRACON & CO., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street.

PARIS AND EUROPE:—GALLIER & PRINCE, 30, Rue Lafayette, Paris. NEW YORK:—ANDREW WIND, 133, Nassau Street.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND:—GORDON & GORDON, Melbourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally:—DEAN & BLAKE, San Francisco.

SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.:—SAYLE & CO., Square, Singapore. C. HEINZSEN & Co., Manila.

CHINA:—MORSE, MORSE & A. DE MELLO & Co., Street, CAMPBELL & Co., Amoy, WILSON, NICHOLS & Co., Foochow, HEDGE & Co., Shanghai, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH, Yokohama, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Banks.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS. (Incorporated 7th of 18th March, 1848.)

RECOGNISED BY THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF 30th APRIL, 1862.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP, £2,200,000. RESERVE FUND, £200,000.

HEAD OFFICE—14, Rue Brasseur, PARIS.

AGENCIES AND BRANCHES at: LONDON, BOULONNE, SAN FRANCISCO, MARSEILLES, BOMBAY, HONGKONG, LYONS, CALCUTTA, HANKOW, NANTZ, SHANGHAI, FOOCHOW, MEDAN, and SINGAPORE.

LONDON BANKERS: THE BANK OF ENGLAND. THE UNION BANK OF LONDON. Messrs C. J. HAMBERG & SON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Credits and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business.

E. SCHWEBLIN, Agent, Hongkong. Hongkong, April 12, 1881.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION. (Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £1,500,000.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

At 3 months' notice 3% per annum. " 6 " " 4 " " " 12 " " 5 " " "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. SCOTT, Acting Manager. Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £5,000,000 Dollars. RESERVE FUND, £1,900,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS: Chairman—A. MOLLER, Esq. Deputy Chairman—H. L. DARTMOUTH, Esq. Hon. E. R. BEILFLO, Esq. Hon. F. B. JOHNSON, Esq. H. DE C. FORBES, Esq. F. D. SASSOON, Esq. H. HOPKINS, Esq. W. S. YOUNG, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER: Hongkong, THOMAS JACKSON, Esq. Manager: SHANGHAI, EWEY CAMERON, Esq. LONDON BANKERS:—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED.

ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits:—For 3 months, 3 per cent per annum. " 6 " 4 " " " 12 " 5 " " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, August 16, 1881.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

MR. J. LAMBE has been Admitted a PARTNER in my Firm and the Business will be carried on from this date, under the Name of STEEL & LAMBE. R. STEEL. Hongkong, February 1, 1882. fe14

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed SOLE AGENTS for the Sale of their GOODS by Messrs KYNOC & Co., of Warrington, near Birmingham. MEYER & Co. Hongkong, August 15, 1881. 13aue2

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NOTICE.

MR. FREDERICK DEBLOIS BUSH is Admitted a PARTNER in our Firm from this date, and Mr. GEORGE H. WHEELER is authorized to Sign our Name. RUSSELL & Co. ap1

NOTICE.

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

FROM this date and during the Absence of Mr. J. BRADLEE SMITH, Mr. D. McLAURIN will Act as SECRETARY of the Company. WM. REINERS, Chairman, Board of Directors. Hongkong, February 1, 1882. mrl

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. W. KERFOOT HUGHES in our Firm CEASED on the 31st December last. The Business will be carried on, under the same Style, by Mr. WILLIAM LEGGE and Mr. EDWARD JONES HUGHES. HUGHES & LEGGE. Hongkong, January 14, 1882.

NOTICE.

WE Have been appointed AGENTS for the MITSU BUSSAN KAISHA, of Tokio, at this Port. GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, February 1, 1882.

Auctions.

POSTPONEMENT.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has been instructed to offer FOR SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION on the Premises,

TO-MORROW,

Tuesday, the 7th day of February, 1882, at 3 p.m.,

ALL THAT VALUABLE PIECE OR PARCEL OF GROUND

Abutting on the North side thereof, on other Portion of the said Lot at the Centre of a Party Wall, and measuring thereon 47 feet and 8 inches on the South side thereof, on the Queen's Road West, and measuring thereon 69 feet and 9 inches on the East side thereof, on other Portion of the said Lot at the Centre of a Party Wall, and measuring thereon 49 feet and 8 inches on the West side thereof, on other Portion of the said Lot at the Centre of a Party Wall, and measuring thereon 52 feet and 7 inches, registered in the Land Office as Sub-section 2 of Section D of Matsui's Lot, No. 89, with the BUILDINGS thereon, known as Nos. 87, 89, 91 and 93, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST, and No. 1, TAIPO SAT WEST STREET, including a free right of passage over the private thoroughfare known as "Sei Lane."

The Premises are held from the Crown for the Residue of the term of 99 years, at the appraised Yearly Crown Rent of \$48.15 cents, and are Sold Free and Discharged from the Mortgages at present existing thereon, which will be paid off and discharged by the Vendor, on or before the Completion of the Purchase.

For further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to

J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer;

or to

STEPHENS & HOLMES,

Solicitors.

Hongkong, February 6, 1882. fe7

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE. Quarts, £37 per 1 doz. Case. Fints, £18 per 2 doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, November 1, 1881.

FOR SALE.

MESSRS W. & J. LOCKETT'S Celebrated BRANDS, THERAPY'S EXTRA PALE ALE, and FINEST LAGER BEER. DUBLIN STOUT in Fints and Quarts. FINE OLD PORT, in Cases of 1 dozen. Also, SILLERY MOUSSEUX (VIN DE CHAMPAGNE), in Cases 2 dozen Fints and 1 dozen Quarts. GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, February 1, 1882.

FOR SALE.

ABOUT 2,000 lbs. MILLER & Richards' Extra No. 36, BOURGEOIS TYPE, No. 19, (somewhat worn but in fairly good condition). Apply to

OFFICE OF THIS PAPER.

Hongkong, July 22, 1881.

FOR SALE—JUST RECEIVED.

BEST INDIAN SILVER JEWELLERY, of various kinds. INDIAN CASHMERE SHAWLS. SMOKING CAPS. RUMPOOREE CHUDERS, and OASHMERE CLOTH, assorted, for Ladies' Dresses. At Moderate Prices. N. M. KHAMISA, 8 and 10, Peel Street. Hongkong, January 28, 1882.

WASHING BOOKS.

WASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now be had at this Office. Price, \$1 each. CHINA MATS Office.

To Let.

TO LET, FURNISHED.

THE well-known BUNGALOW, with GARDEN, &c., on Mount Kollott, the Property of Mr. T. C. Hayler, Q.C. Can be inspected at any time on application to the Watchman. Apply to R. G. ALFORD, Surveyor, &c., &c., QUEEN'S ROAD. Hongkong, January 31, 1882. fe14

TO LET.

No. 4, Old Bailey STREET, "KOURAJEAN," No. 10, ALBANY ROAD. OFFICES in No. 13, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, January 4, 1882.

Intimations.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Ordinary Half-Yearly Meeting of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the Fifteenth day of February next, at THREE O'CLOCK P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1881.

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Intimations.

NOTIFICATION.

A COPY of the JURY LIST for 1882 is Posted at the Supreme Court House for Inspection. Notice of any INACCURACIES, OMISSIONS, CORRECTIONS, &c., must be given to the REGISTRAR on or before 14th FEBRUARY, 1882, in accordance with the Provisions of Section 8 of Ordinance No. 11 of 1864.

It is further notified that no Person whose Name is on the List as a Juror will be excused from Service on the ground of any exemption to which he may be entitled, or on the ground of any want of qualification, unless such exemption shall have been claimed and Established, or such want of qualification duly proved, at or before the time above specified.

C. F. A. SANGSTER, Acting Registrar. Supreme Court, Hongkong, February 1, 1882. fe15

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND of (\$2.50) Two Dollars FIFTY CENTS per Share, declared at the Adjourned Meeting of Shareholders held on the 31st ultimo, is now Payable at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation.

Shareholders are requested to apply for their Dividend Warrants at the Office of the Hotel Company, Limited.

By Order, LOUIS HAUSCHILD, Secretary. Hongkong, February 2, 1882. fe9

LOST.

A Ring in a Jivricka between Wang Hing's Jewellery Shop, Queen's Road East, and Wyndham Street, a Small PLATED SALVER, with Enamel Engraving in Centre. Any Person bringing same to 4, MORRISON HILL, Hongkong, shall Receive Five Dollars REWARD.

Hongkong, February 1, 1882. fe8

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 144.

CHINA SEA.

CANTON RIVER AND DISTRICT.

MACAO FORT ROCK BUOY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the MACAO FORT ROCK BUOY, referred to in Notice to Mariners, No. 141, has been Removed closer to the Rock than formerly, and now lies in 10 feet at low water, spring tides.

From the Buoy the North end of Macao Fort bears S. 22° W. (magnetic). From the Buoy the Canton Fort bears S. 60° E. (magnetic).

By Order of the Inspector-General of Customs, DAVID M. HENDERSON, Engineer-in-Chief. Imperial Maritime Customs, Engineer's Office, Shanghai, 20th December, 1881. fe7

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

CHINA SEA.

CANTON DISTRICT—No. 2.

SUNKEN JUNK NEAR AMHERST POINT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the SUNKEN JUNK, referred to in a Notice to Mariners issued on the 19th January, 1882, has been beached on Law Point (Second Bay Creek).

The two red Lights will be discontinued from this date.

F. E. WOODRUFF, Customs House, Canton, 2nd February, 1882. fe10

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Thirteenth Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Company's Office, 20, Queen's Road, Victoria, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, on WEDNESDAY, the 22nd February instant, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1881.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 9th to the 22nd instant, both days inclusive.

By Order, A. G. STOKES, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, February 2, 1882. fe22

NOTICE.

THE HEAD OFFICE of THE CHINESE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, is this day REMOVED to No. 14, QUEEN'S ROAD.

J. BRADLEE SMITH, Secretary. Hongkong, January 16, 1882. fe16

WANTED.

A Managing PARTNER for an Old Established WINE and SPIRIT MERCHANT'S BUSINESS, with ASSORTED WAREMANUFACTURE and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTS combined.

For full Particulars, apply to "A. B. C." c/o OFFICE OF THIS PAPER. Hongkong, January 26, 1882.

TOK KEE.

COAL MERCHANT.

KEEPS on hand for Sale all Kinds of STEAM COAL of the best quality, at moderate rates; also has always on hand a large quantity of Hides at reasonable Charge, either for special Purposes, Excursions, or Towing. Hongkong, January 13, 1882. fe18

Insurances.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL—Two MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant POLICIES against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Insurance will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co., Agents, Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1882.

YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up).....£420,000.00 PERMANENT RESERVE.....£230,000.00 SPECIAL RESERVE FUND.....£288,036.17

TOTAL CAPITAL AND ACCUMULATIONS, 2nd April 1881.....£938,036.17

Directors: F. B. FORBES, Esq., Chairman. W. M. BOYD, Esq., WM. MEYERHOF, Esq., J. H. PANGLOSS, Esq., F. D. HING, Esq., Esq.

HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI. Messrs RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries.

LONDON BRANCH: Messrs BARNARD BROTHERS & Co., Bankers.

RICHARD, BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent, 68 and 69, Cornhill.

POLICIES granted on Marine Risks to all parts of the World.

Subject to a Charge of 12% for Interest on Shareholders' Capital, all the PROFITS of the UNDERWRITING BUSINESS are annually distributed among all Contributors of Business in proportion to the Premium paid by them.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, May 20, 1881. loc82

THE SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND.

CAPITAL £1,000,000 (One Million Sterling). Unlimited Liability of Shareholders.

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai, and Hankow, and are prepared to grant INSURANCES at current rates, allowing usual Discounts.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, July 1, 1881.

MANCHESTER FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1824.

Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling of which is paid up £100,000. Reserve Fund upwards of £120,000. Annual Income £250,000.

THE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai, and Hankow, and are prepared to grant INSURANCES at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 15, 186

For Sale.

MacEwen, FRICKEL & Co.

Have Received For Sale.

CHRISTMAS STORES AND NEW AND SEASONABLE GOODS.

EX FRENCH MAIL STEAMER. MUSCATEL RAISINS.

METZ FRUIT.

ASSORTED COCAQUES.

CALLAND & BOWMAN'S CONFECTIONERY.

BUTTER SCOTCH.

HONEY SCOTCH.

ROSE TOFFEE.

LEMON TOFFEE.

ROSE'S LIME JUICE CORDIAL.

PLUM PUDDINGS.

PATRAS CURRANTS.

VALENCIA RAISINS.

MACKINNON PEN.

LIVERMORE PEN.

LAWN TENNIS BATS.

LAWN TENNIS BALLS.

LAWN TENNIS SHOES.

Ex Steamer "Glenfiddie."

STILTON CHEESE.

YORK HAMS.

CHRISTMAS CAKES.

TENDERLY DISSECT FRUITS.

ALMONDS AND RAISINS.

SMYRNA FIGS.

PIMENTO TONGUES.

FIBRETS.

COCOATINA.

VAX HOUTEN'S COCOA.

Lemon's & Co's COCOA.

FRENCH PLUMS.

HUNTLEY & PALMER'S BISCUITS.

PATE DE FOIE GRAS.

MINCEMEAT.

CHOCOLATE-MENTIER.

SAUSAGES.

BROWN.

ISIGNY BUTTER.

DANISH BUTTER.

BREAKFAST TONGUES.

ANCHOVIES.

ASPARAGUS.

SOUPS, &c.

WINES AND SPIRITS.

CHAMPAGNES—

HIDDECK'S MONOPOLE & WHITE SEAL.

YEUVE CLUQUOT PONSARDIN.

JULES MUMM & Co., pils & quarts.

CLARETS—

CHATEAU LA ROSE, pils & quarts.

CHATEAU LAURET, " "

DOES GRAVES, " "

BREAKFAST CLARET, " "

SHERRIES & PORT—

SACCOE'S MANZANILLA & AMON-TILLADO.

SACCOE'S OLD INVALID PORT (1848).

HUNT'S PORT.

BRANDY, WHISKY, LIQUEURS, &c.—

1, 2 & 3-star HENNESSY'S BRANDY.

BISQUIT DUBOIS & Co's BRANDY.

FINEST OLD BOURBON WHISKY.

KINAR'S LL WHISKY.

ROYAL GLENDEE WHISKY.

CHARTREUSE.

MARASCHINO.

CUREAU.

AGUSTURA.

BONNET'S and ORANGE BITTERS.

ALE and PORTER, in hogheads.

EX AMERICAN MAIL.

Fresh ROLL BUTTER.

SACCOE'S pils and quarts.

GUINNESS STOUT, bottled by E. & J. Burke, pils and quarts.

PILSENER BEER, in quarts.

DRAUGHT ALE and PORTER, by the Gallon.

ALE and PORTER, in hogheads.

YACHT & PICNIC SUPPLIES.

CALIFORNIA

BACON

COMPANY'S BISCUITS in 5 lb tins, and loose.

Alphabetical BISCUITS.

Fancy Sweet Mixed BISCUITS.

Ginger CAKES.

Soda BISCUITS.

Oyster BISCUITS.

Cracked WHEAT.

OATMEAL.

HOMINY.

CORNMEAL.

BUCKY WHEAT FLOUR.

RICE MEAL.

SPECIALLY SELECTED

CIGARS.

Fine New Season's GUMSHAW TEA, in 5 and 10 catty boxes.

BREAKFAST CONGOU @ 25 cents p. lb.

SHIPCHANDLERY of every Description.

RIGGING and SAIL-MAKING promptly executed.

Hongkong, January 25, 1882.

Insurances.

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE.

POLICIES GRANTED at current rates on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World. In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, Two-thirds of the Profits are distributed annually to Contributors, whether Shareholders or not, in proportion to the net amount of Premiums contributed by each, the remaining third being carried to Reserve Fund.

J. BRADLEE SMITH, Secretary.

Hongkong, April 6, 1881.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, AGENTS of the above Company, are authorized to insure against FIRE at Current Rates.

GILMAN & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1882.

Intimations.

Tenth Volume of the

"CHINA REVIEW."

Now Ready.

No. 2.—Vol. X.

—OF THE—

"CHINA REVIEW"

CONTAINS—

The New Testament in Chinese.

Short Journeys in Szechuan.

The Emperor Ching, Founder of the Chinese Empire.

Notes of New Books and Literary Intelligence.

Notes and Queries—

On Chinese Oaths in Western Borneo and Java.

"Easy Sentences in the Hakka Dialect."

Prohibition to hold Civil Office in One's Native Province.

The Rise of the Mongol Dynasty in One's Country.

Hing-yu, the Founder of the Ming Dynasty.

A Caution.

Chinese Marriages and Betrothals.

Contemptible Character of Kwang Tung of the Southern Sung Dynasty.

An Organization for Taxing and Corrupt Purposes.

Chinese Curses.

Chinese Constancy.

The Rule of Addressing Superiors.

The Corvée System.

"The Wisdom of Many and the Wit of One."

The Title of an Abolished Emperor's Wife.

Wearied Students and Refreshing Beverages.

Man-bote among a Tibetan Tribe.

The Kin Dynasty of Tungusian Origin.

Officers Selected by the 大挑 Selection.

A Wagtail Emperor.

A Pair of Viziers during the Tang and Ming Dynasties.

An Error in the Chinese Calendar.

The Chinese Calendar.

Books Wanted, Exchanges, &c.

Hongkong, January 18, 1882.

To-day's Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION

OF

CHINESE & JAPANESE CURIOS, &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 11th February, 1882, at 2 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Paddar's Wharf,—

A CHOICE COLLECTION OF

PORCELAINS, BRONZES, &c., &c., comprising—

SATSUMA, TOKIO and SATSUMA VASES, BOWLS, TEA and BREAKFAST SETS, ENAMELS, BRONZES, SCROLLS, SCREENS, &c., &c.

CANTON and NANKIN PAINTED VASES, PUNCH BOWLS, CANDY-DISHES, CHINESE VASES, and DIAMANTE.

Catalogues will be issued previous to the Sale.

TERMS OF SALE—As customary.

G. R. LAMBERT, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, February 6, 1882.

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THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 11th February, 1882, at 2 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,—

AN INVOICE OF

JAPANESE WARE, &c., comprising—

KAKI and ISHAWA VASES, BOWLS, JARS, PLATES, and TEA SERVICES; LACQUERED WARE, ENAMELED WARE, BRONZES, &c., &c.

TERMS OF SALE—As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, February 6, 1882.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY,

the 14th February, 1882, at Noon, at H. M. Naval Yard,—

SUNDAY CONDEMNED NAVAL AND VICTUALLING STORES,

comprising—

Old IRON, LEATHER BOOTS, IRON HOOPS, BISCUITS, CLOTHING, LAMPS, IMPLEMENTS, &c., &c.

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To-day's Advertisements.

KELLAR & OUNARD,

THE

ROYAL ILLUSIONIST COMPANY, will

SHORTLY APPEAR

Hongkong, February 6, 1882.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOV.

The Steamship "Felicity,"

will be despatched for the above

Ports on THURSDAY, the 9th Instant,

at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, February 6, 1882.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR MACASSAR, SOURA-

BAYA, SAMARANG AND BATAVIA.

The Co's Steamship "Afjet,"

will be despatched for the above

Ports on SATURDAY, the 11th Inst., at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, February 6, 1882.

FOR PORTLAND (OREGON.)

The 3/3 L.L. American Ship

"Allyne," Master, will load here

for the above Port, and will

have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, February 6, 1882.

FOR VICTORIA (VANCOUVER'S ISLAND.)

The 3/3 L.L. American Ship

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for the above Port, and will

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For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, February 6, 1882.

STEAMSHIP "JIPAN," Captain

T. S. GARDNER,

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Con-

signees on board by her are hereby

requested to send in their Bills of Lading

to the Undersigned for counter-

signature and to take immediate delivery

of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remain-

ing on board after the 8th Instant, will be

landed and stored at Consignees' risk and

expense, and no Fire Insurance will be

effected.

Consignees are hereby informed that any

Claims must be made immediately, as

none will be entertained after the 10th

Instant.

DAVID SASSON, SONS & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, February 6, 1882.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. Lennox having arrived from

the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo

are hereby requested to send in their Bills

of Lading to the Undersigned for counter-

signature and to take immediate delivery

of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge will be

at once landed and stored at Consignees'

risk and expense.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, February 6, 1882.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

In the Goods of TAI LIN, Deceased.

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Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor

Owners will be responsible for

any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour—

A. M. SUTTON, American ship, Capt. A. Call, Jr.—Master.

Auguste, French barque, Capt. Bernard.

Messageries Maritimes.

COLOMA, American barque, Capt. Noyes.

Rozario & Co.

EDWIN REED, American barque, Capt. J. C. Gilmore.—Order.

H. W. DEBBY, American barque, Capt. D. W. Dudley.—Order.

Hirokatsu, British ship, Captain J. Delyea.—Russell & Co.

Importers, American ship, Capt. O. H. Allyne.—Messageries Maritimes.

LACRUE, British barque, Captain J. Grassin.—Mellers & Co.

LENNOX, British steamer, Capt. D. Scott.

Jardine, Matheson & Co.

ONIDA, American ship, Captain Benjamin Carver.—Adams, Bell & Co.

PANAY, American ship, Captain S. P. Bray, Jr.—Adams, Bell & Co.

RAJAH, German ship, Capt. P. Albrecht.—Order.

SOLWAY, British steamer, Captain Robt. Jarvis.—Vogel & Co.

STEEN, American ship, Captain G. W. Brown.—Douglas Larraik & Co.

W. J. RITCH, American ship, Captain Geo. L. Bray.—Master.

WAKEFIELD, American barque, Capt. W. S. Crowell.—Captain.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Feb. 4, Sunda, British steamer, 1029 J.

Reeves, Yokohama Jan. 27, via Higo and Nagasaki, Mail and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co.

Feb. 5, China, German steamer, 648.

H. Schuer, Swatow Feb. 4, General.

Kwong Ah-moon & Sons.

Feb. 5, Chinkiang, British steamer, from Canton.

Feb. 5, Foochow, British steamer, from Canton.

Feb. 5, Peng-chow-hai, Chinese gunboat, from Canton.

Feb. 5, Garibaldi, Italian corvette, 3200.

12 guns, Enrico Morini, Yokohama Jan. 24.

Feb. 5, Japan, British steamer, 1865.

S. Gardner, Calcutta Jan. 21, Sandheads

cond, with a large amount of daylight between the boats; the *Themis* cutter was third, and a cutter belonging to the owner of the *Wanderer*, and sailed by himself, was fourth. Twenty boats started for the race.

Judging from the number of cases which have recently occurred, and mostly on the outskirts of Chinese territory, piracy seems to be making considerable head in these waters. The police of the Colony are always equal to the task of putting down crimes of the kind mentioned, when committed within their jurisdiction, but the particular class of crime we have mentioned presents very difficult features. The Chinese authorities being either helpless or indifferent, the English authorities are, of course, helpless. After crimes of this sort the microcosm can lie quietly within Hongkong waters without the slightest apprehension. It would be greatly to the benefit of both the Chinese and British Governments were to come to some better understanding in regard to this matter. On Monday last, a band of between forty and fifty robbers, with masks, attacked the village of Chung Kwan O, outside the Lai-Mun Pass. The first objects of their raid were a couple of gambling houses, but these inside managed to get the marauders outside, who then turned their attention to a couple of shops. The villagers turned out en masse, and a fierce fight ensued. One of the villagers was shot dead, and when the pirates ultimately retreated, they had to carry off six or seven men either severely wounded or dead. About \$900 worth of property was carried off, notwithstanding the determined resistance of the people of the place. News of the occurrence was, we understand, only received here about the middle of the week. No trace has been found of the scoundrels, and we doubt if any ever will.

One of the British North Borneo Company's new settlements has been established at Elopura, in Sandakan Bay, and the reports which have been published of its progress show, not only that the Company's work is calculated to improve the natives in every way, but that the natives are clamorous for the extension of the white man's rule. The Resident of Elopura comments with some pride upon what has been done; and although he is a "sentimentalist" like Sir John Smalls may raise a hue and cry against any compromise whatever being made with "customs and rules regarding marriage, slavery, and other things which are quite at variance with our Western ideas," there can be little doubt that the practical form of administration invariably adopted by England towards semi-civilized races is none the less wise and effectual. This is how the Resident concludes his report:

"It must be confessed this is a great change from the past, especially when it is remembered that the people dealt with are to be regarded by other nations, and that the best of them are known by name, and have customs and rules regarding marriage, slavery, and other things which are quite at variance with our Western ideas, but to have combated which would have immediately placed us at variance with the bulk of the population; in which case our way would not have been so easy with regard to all while planning would not have been possible; so that a little money which has been spent from time to time, in freeing slaves and the like, has not been thrown away. As it is, the various conflicting interests of Sulu and Dayak, and Bajal, and blood-pooling, Chinaman and Malay, and other things, have all been consulted, with the result that European planters can start planting to-morrow with as much security as though in an English county instead of in a country which three years ago was impassable by small parties owing to fear of head-hunters, and where the only way of doing it required a small fleet to move together to keep off the pirates."

RETURN of Visitors to the City Hall Museum for the week ending Feb. 5th.

European	Chinese
Monday, 19	532
Tuesday, 37	406
Wednesday, 62	384
Thursday, 14	213
Friday, 67	621
Saturday, 21	217
Sunday, 219	2,873
Total, 3,992	

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF MOTIONS TO BE MADE AT THE MEETING OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ON FEBRUARY 6, 1892.

1st.—That His Excellency will be pleased to direct the Acting Colonial Secretary to lay upon the table copies of letters addressed by me to the Acting Colonial Secretary dated 2nd December, with enclosures, and 7th and 15th December, and of the Acting Colonial Secretary's replies dated respectively 5th and 13th December, also that His Excellency will be pleased to lay upon the table copies of a letter addressed by Mr. T. C. Hayllar to the Secretary of State for the Colonies dated on or about 27th July, 1887, of a covering despatch from His Excellency to the Governor about the same date, and of a letter from Mr. T. C. Hayllar to the Secretary of State seeking permission to withdraw his despatch of 27th July, 1887, and dated 8th Sept., comprising a series of documents which have been exhibited to Members of Council by His Excellency's directions.

2nd.—That His Excellency will be pleased to direct the Acting Colonial Secretary to lay upon the table copies of any correspondence between the Government of the Colony and the Government of New South Wales relative to the barbarous treatment received by the Chinese passengers on board the steamer *Ocean* at Sydney in the months of June and July last.

Questions to be addressed to His Excellency the Governor at the same meeting, to

be held to-morrow, by the Hon. F. Bulkeley Johnson:—

1st.—When the papers relative to Chinese Emigration from the Colony presented to the Council on the 23rd August last will be presented?

2nd.—Whether the Ministry of the Finance Committee made in August last relating to the unsatisfactory state of the roads in Victoria has been brought to the attention of the Acting Surveyor General, and whether the recommendation contained in the minutes will be acted upon?

3rd.—Whether the final instructions from the Colonial Office have been received with regard to the proposed extension of Water Supply?

4th.—Why the sittings of the Education Commission, nominated on the 27th August, 1890, have been suspended, and when they will be resumed?

LAW NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

(Before the Hon. Francis Snowden, Acting Chief Justice.)

ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. Tuesday, 7th Feb., 10 a.m.—Chung Koon Hing v. Ng Kun Hing.—Suit No. 73.—Hearing.

(In Registrar's Chambers.)

In the matter of Choy Sing Nam, a bankrupt.—First Meeting of Creditors.

SUPREME COURT.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

(Before the Hon. J. Russell, Acting Puisne Judge.)

Monday, Feb. 6.

D'ALMEIDA v. GARCIA & WONG LOI, 2909.—Mr. Attorney, Messrs. Brooker & Watson, representing the plaintiff, and Mr. Johnson, representing the defendant, appeared for the defendant.

This suit was brought against Wong Loi to recover compensation for damage done to a sea wall, and for the destruction of certain trees in a garden, which the defendant had caused to be cut down.

The plaintiff alleged that defendant should repair the damage done to the sea wall to the satisfaction of Inspector Cameron, who had given evidence as to its condition, and who was well acquainted with what was necessary; and that defendant also paid \$15, which Mr. Ford had assessed as being adequate compensation for the trees destroyed. The repairs to be executed by the end of the month. The defendant said he quit the premises at the end of the month if the parties were agreed. His Lordship remarked that the plaintiff had assessed the damages at an unreasonable amount. The costs of Court were granted to the plaintiff.

Police Intelligence.

(Before H. E. Woodhouse, Esq.)

Monday, Feb. 6.

George Robinson, an American sailor, was fined 50 cents, with the option of one day's imprisonment, for being drunk and disorderly in Upper Lascar Row yesterday. He had to pay a further sum of 50 cents for damaging the coat of the Constable, who apprehended him.

Robert Cassel, a Norwegian seaman, was fined 50 cents with the option of one day's imprisonment for being drunk and incapable yesterday.

Owens Edwards, of St. Vincent, was fined 50 cents or to suffer one day's imprisonment for being drunk and disorderly.

A LIVERY SOLDIER.

James McBride, Private of the Royal Irish Fusiliers, was charged with being drunk and disorderly, with assaulting a woman, and with damaging property to the value of two dollars at Yau-mah-ti yesterday.

The defendant had assaulted Kwok Ayune, the keeper of a roast meat stall, overturned the stall, and otherwise incensed the complainant, who estimated the loss at \$6, but which Sergeant Jones valued at two dollars.

Defendant said he was walking along the street when he saw a boy make off with a goose from the complainant's stall, and the complainant thought it was the defendant and commenced to hit him with a stick. He then struck the complainant and overturned the stall. He admitted being intoxicated.

Lieutenant Radcliff said the defendant's conduct was infinitely good and he had been found drunk more than once.

Defendant was fined \$3, in default three days' imprisonment with hard labour, and to make amends of \$2 to complainant.

Wong Akwai, a coolie, was charged with stealing cloth from Chan Achin, actor, on the 6th instant.

The complainant had previously missed a quilt and wanted to discover the thief if possible, and therefore, hung a waistcoat on a bamboo outside the house and shortly after he got a satisfaction of seeing the defendant walk up and lodge the waistcoat under his jacket. He then had him arrested, and defendant was now sentenced to six weeks' imprisonment with hard labour.

ROGUE AND VAGABOND.

Chun Ah-foi was convicted of being a rogue and a vagabond, and was sentenced to six weeks' imprisonment with hard labour. A constable observed defendant in company with a very old offender and another man following some sailors. When the sailors stopped these Chinese men stopped, and the constable was led to believe that the men of ulterior shape and count were the defendant. He admitted one previous conviction.

OBTAINING GOODS UNDER FALSE PRETEXTS.

Li Ahong, described as a shopkeeper, appeared on remand, charged with obtaining by false pretences on the 18th ult., six silver watches, of the value of \$73.50, from Mr. J. Ullmann, merchant, Queen's Road.

The defendant had presented a letter, which seemed to be genuine, purporting to be an order, to supply the bearer with some watches, from the An Tak firm in Canton, with whom the complainant had dealings. The letter turned out to be a forgery, and the case was adjourned to allow of witnesses being brought from Canton.

Inspector Lindsay to-day said he had made enquiries into the matter, and found that the witnesses could not be brought from Canton. Mr. Ullmann said he was very glad to get them to come to Hongkong. The Magistrate then discharged the prisoner.

A PRESENT OF BRANDY.

Li Ahong, carpenter, was charged with being in unlawful possession of two bottles of Cognac on the 18th ult.

He was seen by a constable with a basket under his arm, and on seeing the constable he avoided him by proceeding in a different direction. Defendant said to the constable that he had purchased the Cognac at a shop in Wellington Street, but after taking the defendant and confronting the shopkeeper they denied selling him the brandy.

Defendant said this morning that some young fellows from California had presented him with the bottles.

He was fined ten dollars, in default of payment to undergo three weeks' imprisonment.

STREET GAMBLING.

Un Ahop was convicted of gambling in Bonham Strand West yesterday, and was sentenced to seven days' imprisonment as a rogue and a vagabond.

STEALING SHOES.

Young Ayan, a Chinese, was observed yesterday taking a bundle from under the arm of a Portuguese sailor in Queen's Road. The sailor was in the act of getting into a chair and did not notice the bundle being taken. Young moved off with the bundle in his hand, but a native detective followed and arrested him. He said the sailor dropped the bundle, picked them up, but before he could return them the constable arrested him. Six weeks' imprisonment with hard labour was imposed.

(Before Frederick Stewart, Esq.)

DESTROYING TREES.

Ng Atai was sentenced to four days' imprisonment with hard labour for committing the offence of cutting trees on the Aberdeen Road, on the 4th instant.

A STRAGGLER.

Gilbert Merrien was brought up on the charge of being a straggler from the American ship *Impetuous*.

The defendant said the Captain told him outside the Harbour Master's office, when he had brought a charge against the second mate, that he had killed better men than him and would kill him also if he again came on board the ship.

He was ordered to be conveyed on board the *Impetuous*, and to have an opportunity of speaking to the U. S. Consul.

Chan Aleong, trader, and Yeong Achong, unemployed, were charged on remand, from the 2nd instant, with having along with others not in custody, robbed Tsing Asing of \$100.

The complainant had arrived from Singapore and had been staying in Queen's Road, when a man named Tung Fuk had come and made his acquaintance. His friend took him to a house in Tung Sau Lane, where this man, the two defendants, and another man, had been taking the money from him.

There was some other evidence of a corroborative nature to-day. The prisoners were then cautioned, reserved their defence and were committed for trial at the next Criminal Sessions.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

(From the Indian Press.)

London, Jan. 14.—Advice received from Chili state that a steamer was taken back place in a panic drying pound, while the steamer ship *Prinzess*, was at Port Combuco on the 22nd November, killing three seamen and injuring seven others.

Jan. 10.—The Turkish Ambassador has presented the Porte's note respecting foreign intervention in Egypt to the Sultan.

Jan. 20.—The Secretary of State for War, in addressing his constituents yesterday, said that the effect of army reform on recruiting was very marked in all branches of the service, and the army was fast gaining popularity. He did not desire to introduce any further change at present, but wished to give matters a rest, in order to carefully work out the reforms already effected.

Constantinople, Jan. 11.—The Sultan has deputed Nemat Pasha to reorganize the Gendarmerie. It is believed that the engagements of military officers, with the exception of Baker Pasha, will be cancelled.

Jan. 13.—In reply to the Anglo-French collective note presented to the Khedive, the Porte has sent a note to his representatives abroad declaring the Sultan's right in Egypt to be founded upon firmness; and stating that foreign Powers have no right to interfere and demanding explanations regarding the collective note.

Cairo, Jan. 10.—The Egyptian Council of delegates have proposed a scheme defining their powers, virtually controlling the Government. The President of the Council of Ministers declines to accept the scheme.

Sitcher, Jan. 13.—News was received on the 17th that the Russian fleet, under the command of the North Karakul, had been surprised and destroyed on the night of the 15th by some Kachars, led by a fanatic. The Deputy Commissioner and Assistant Superintendent were touring in that locality, and were encamped at Myingung, four miles from Goungung. The Kachars then attacked Myingung, and the fight the Deputy Commissioner received a severe cut on the hand. Reinforcements numbering 67 men, under the District Superintendent of Police, should reach to-night or to-morrow. The Regimental Surgeon left this afternoon to attend the Deputy Commissioner.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 2.—The Russian Emperor has issued a decree regarding the calamity at Shumavilla, 20 miles north of here, on Saturday night. It resulted in the loss of several lives and serious injury to nearly one hundred victims. The floor gave way with a crash, precipitating about 500 people to the first floor. The roof gave way, and the floor fell, and the whole mass of humanity was soon enveloped in flames. The wildest excitement and confusion prevailed and the scene which followed, beggars description. The cries and screams of the suffering victims, mingled with the groans of the dying, and the sound of the falling of the beams, made night hideous, while the frantic efforts of the victims to escape, as they rushed around with their bodies burned and blackened, presented a ghastly spectacle.

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Yoder and her little five-year-old son, who was burned to a crisp in his mother's arms. Four persons were crushed to death by the falling timbers and about sixty others were seriously injured, some perhaps fatally. Many had not time to get away, and were burned. By the heroic efforts of the citizens the side of the building was broken in and water dashed in on the struggling, burning mass of human beings, and many lives were thus saved. The injured are now doing well, though some more will perhaps die. The building was a rickety frame structure, and has long been considered unsafe.

New Orleans, Jan. 3.—The Times Democrat, Midden, La., special says a terrible tragedy occurred on December 30th at a plantation near here. Robert Lewis, son of the late Langdon Lewis, and brother to William Lewis, was shot by his sister, Mrs. Thompson. Both were seriously wounded. He then killed himself. The cause of the tragedy is unknown.

BRITISH AND CONTINENTAL.

London, Jan. 2.—Private Intelligence has been received at Liverpool that the Governor of the Gold Coast is about to march with a force of native troops. The object of the expedition is the punishment of the natives in Dargah for the killing of two English men, and for the murder of a British officer. Two Mormon missionaries were supposed to conduct a service in one of the suburbs of London, yesterday, were grossly maltreated by a mob and obliged to seek refuge at Police headquarters.

A Dublin correspondent, reviewing the events of 1891 in Ireland, says that the year was closed in confusion, contention and a war of races and classes. Commercial credit is broken and the spirit of the country is sunk in deep depression. The scare produced by the large importations of American cattle has abated. The result of the year's trade shows a decrease of thirty per cent. in imports, and a corresponding decrease in exports. The year has been a year of misfortune and the farmers in this branch feel encouraged.

The Mark Lane *Express* says the young plant is at present strong and healthy, except in a few districts, which are subject to floods. The security of sound samples of English wheat is becoming progressively dearer. Flour is firm, and the best marks are 1 shilling higher in the country and 6d. higher in London, as compared with a fortnight ago; the rise is due to the lackening in supply of the foreign trade. The other home grain produces remain similar to the market in London is at least as good as it has been for some weeks. Wheat is slightly dearer; fine qualities are particularly affected by the smallness of the stock. Red wheat is rather scarce, and consequently in better demand than white. The market is very quiet, and the demand is occasionally dearer. The cargo trade is quiet and light. Cargoes were sold of 25 vessels off coast. Red Winter wheat generally is 53s. 6d. The sales of English wheat during the week were 32,277 quarters at 44s. 3d. per quarter, against 27,140 quarters at 41s. 11d. in the corresponding week of last year.

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The speakers at the great land-owners' meeting here to-day, including the Earl of Darnley, Marquis of Waterford, Earl Westmeath, and other important political personages.

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Jan. 5.—The Times says: The people of England would view with serious apprehension any further interference in the internal affairs of Egypt. The idea of a joint Anglo-French military intervention would excite the gravest misgivings, and would be only to entangle the country in a new and more disastrous. The premature landing of foreign troops would, in the present condition of Egypt, be the beginning of a disturbance.

The Standard says: England and France, after the accession of Gambetta to the office of President of the Council, the Minister of Foreign Affairs sent a joint note to the Khedive of the same purport as the recently published despatch of Lord Granville, the Foreign Secretary. This fact is probably the origin of the recent reports regarding an Anglo-French intervention in the affairs of Egypt.

Jan. 5.—The President, Secretary, and Treasurer of the Ladies' League at Rosemeadow have been arrested. The three ladies arrested at Drumeahogher have been liberated on bail.

Dublin, Jan. 2.—Dawson was today formally inaugurated Lord Mayor of Dublin. The Mayor's Corporation, by a vote of 28 to 1, refused to pass the customary vote of thanks to George Meyers, the retiring Lord Mayor, in consequence of his refusal to convene a special meeting of the Corporation to confer the freedom of the city on Parnell and Dillon. Meyers was lined on the streets, but no personal violence was offered.

It is stated that O'Brien, the editor of *United Ireland*, will be released from prison in consideration of his ill-health, provided he quits the country.

Jan. 3.—Six thousand persons were present at the annual meeting here to-day, which was the most influential ever held in Ireland. Earl Donoughmore, Earl Caryle, the Marquis of Drogheda, the Marquis of Headfort, King Harcourt, and all the principal representatives of the landed interest were in attendance. The resolutions already recorded at previous meetings were unanimously adopted.

A Treasury notice has been issued including the occupying tenants in Ireland as among those authorized to borrow money from the Government for improvements.

Archbishop O'Connell, Cardinal, formerly of the police, has been invited into his parish residence, and the occasion of a parish meeting in connection with a bazaar, which they were assured that it was not a League meeting.

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THE CHINA REVIEW.

THE widely-expressed regret at the discontinuance of *Notes & Queries on China and Japan*, has induced the publishers of this journal to issue a publication similar in object and style, but slightly modified in certain details.

THE CHINA REVIEW, or *Notes and Queries on the Far East*, is issued at intervals of two months, each number containing about 60 octavo pages, occasionally illustrated with lithographs, photographs, woodcuts, &c., should the papers published demand, and the circulation justify, such extra matter.

The subscription is fixed at \$6.50 postage paid, per annum, payable by bank draft in Hongkong half-yearly in advance.

The publication includes papers original and selected upon the Arts and Sciences, Ethnology, Folklore, Geography, History, Literature, Mythology, Manners and Customs, Natural History, Religion, &c., &c., of China, Japan, Mongolia, Tibet, the Eastern Archipelago and the "Far East" generally. A more detailed list of subjects upon which contributions are especially invited is incorporated with each number.

Original contributions in Chinese, Latin, French, German, Spanish, Italian or Portuguese, are admissible. Endeavours are made to present a résumé in each number of the contents of the most recent works bearing on Chinese matters. Great attention is also paid to the Review department.

Notes and Replies are classified together as "Notes" (head references being given, when furnished, to previous Notes or Queries) and also those queries which though asked, have not yet been answered, or published details concerning the matter in hand. It is desirable to make the Queries proper at first and as much to the point as possible.

The *China Review* for July and August, 1891, is at hand. It says that forty-two essays were sent in to compete for the prize of the advantages of Christianity for the development of a State. All our learned associates should subscribe to this scholarly and entertaining Review. It is a sixty-page, bi-monthly, repository of what scholars are accomplishing about China. The Editor on Chinese matters in this volume is above worth the price of the Review—*Admiral China Review*, Hongkong—*Northern Christian Advocate*, (U.S.).

Traveller's Oriental Record contains the following notice of the *China Review*:—"The title of the publication, the first number of which has only just appeared in Hong Kong, where it has been not only on foot as in some respects a continuation of *Notes and Queries on China and Japan*, the extinction of which useful serial a year or two ago has been much regretted in Europe as well as in China. The present publication, judging by the number of subscribers, is a place of occupancy a position, as regards China and the neighbouring countries, somewhat similar to that which has been filled in India by the *Calcutta Review*. The great degree of attention that has been bestowed of late years upon the investigation of Chinese literature, antiquities, and the general history of the Chinese people, and the missionary body among whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is now assiduously cultivated, and who are several represented in the first number of the Review by papers highly creditable to their respective authors." In a paper on Dr. Legge's *Shi King*, by the Rev. E. J. Eitel, which is the place of honour is deservedly given, an excellent summary is presented of the chronological problems and arguments involved in connection with this important work. Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by both accuracy and freshness of style; and an account of the career of the Chinese poet-statesman of the eleventh century, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowra, is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literary grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China and the East, which will be a useful feature of the Review, its practical character (in detail), we are glad to notice that "Notes" and "Queries" are destined to find a place in its pages also. It is to be hoped that this opening for contributions on Chinese subjects may evoke a similar degree of literary zeal to that which was displayed during the lifetime of its predecessor in the field, and that the *China Review* may receive the support necessary to insure its continuance. The publication is intended to appear every two months, and will form a substantial octavo magazine.

THE CHINESE MAIL.

This paper is now issued every day. The subscription is fixed at Four Dollars per annum, delivered in Hongkong, or Seven Dollars fifty cents including postage to Coast ports.

It is the first Chinese Newspaper ever issued under purely native direction. The chief support of the paper is of course derived from the native community, amongst whom also are to be found the guarantee and security necessary to place it on a business and legal footing.

The proprietors, basing their estimates upon the most reliable information from the various Ports in China and Japan, from Australia, California, Singapore, Penang, Saigon, and other places frequented by the Chinese, consider themselves justified in guaranteeing an estimate circulation of between 3,000 and 4,000 copies. The advantages offered to advertisers are therefore unusually great, and the foreign community generally will find it to their interest to avail themselves of them.

The field open to a large of this description—conducted by native efforts, but progressive and not obstructive in tone—is almost limitless. It is on the one hand commands Chinese belief and interest while on the other it deserves every aid that can be given to it by foreigners. The English journals it contains Editorials, with Local, Shipping, and Commercial News and advertisements.

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Colonial Newspapers received at the office
are regularly sent for the inspection of
Advertisers and the Public.

Visitors' Column.

We have instituted an experiment a VISITORS' COLUMN, which we trust will prove successful, and be found useful. To it will be relegated from time to time such items of information, lists, tables and other intelligence as is considered likely to prove valuable to persons passing through the City, and in connection with we have opened a SEARCH, LITERAL AND BUSINESS Directory, applications for enrolment into which we are now ready to receive.

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Government House, North of Public Gardens.

City Hall, Library (8,000 volumes) and Museum, —Free.

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The Clock Tower, Queen's Road Central, in a line with Pedder's Wharf.

General Post Office, Hongkong Club, German Club, Supreme Court, &c., within a stone's throw.

Lustau Club and Library, Shelley St.

Government Offices, the Secretariat, &c., near the Public Gardens.

St. John's Cathedral (Anglican), above the Parade Ground.

Roman Catholic Cathedral, Wellington Street.

Union Church, Elgin Street.

St. Peter's Seamen's Church, West Point.

St. Joseph's (R.C.) Church, Garden Road, near Kennedy Road.

Temperance Hall, specially adapted for sea-faring men, Queen's Road East.

Sailors' Home, West Point.

E. F. A. and China Telegraph Co., and the Great Northern Telegraph Co., Marine House, Queen's Road.

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Victoria Recreation Club—Bath-house and Boat-house, &c.—Praya, beyond the Cricket Ground, beside the City Hall.

The Barracks and Naval and Military Store Departments lie to the westward, and cover a large area.

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American and English Stores, Books, and specially selected Cigars.—MAC-
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CHAIR BARBERS, AND BOATS,
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Chairs and Ordinary Pullaway Boats.
Half hour, 10 cts. Hour, 20 cts.
Three hours, 50 cts. Six hours, 70 cts.
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Single Trip.
Four Coolies, \$1.00
Two Coolies, 0.70

Return (direct or by Pok-foo-lam).
Four Coolies, \$1.50
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Licensed Barbers (each).
Hour, 10 cents.
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Day, 50 cents.

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1st Class Cargo Boat of 8 or 900 piculs, per Day, \$3.00
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2nd Class Cargo Boat of 600 piculs, per Load, 1.75
3rd Class Cargo Boat or Ha-kau Boat of 300 piculs, per Day, 1.50
3rd Class Cargo Boat or Ha-kau Boat of 300 piculs, per Load, 1.00
3rd Class Cargo Boat of 300 piculs, Half Day, 50

Sampan.
or Pullaway Boat, per Day, \$1.00
One Hour, 20
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One Hour, 5
Half Hour, 3
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ANY Cast-off CLOTHING, BOOKS, or
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FEB. 6, 1892.

Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Price.	Reserve.	Working Account.	Last Dividend.	Closing Quotations, Cash.
BANKS.							
H.K. & S'hai Bank.	40,000	126 1/2	125 1/2	1,000,000	3,734.00	30	111 1/2 prem.
INSURANCES.							
N.H. China Ins.	1,000	2,000	2,000	238,600	125,064.91	75	117 1/2 p. sh.
Yankee Ins. Co.	1,200	360	360	600,480	18,447.50	12 1/2	117 1/2 p. sh.
Union Ins. Soc.	500	2,500	500	381,787	437,988.58	114.27	\$1600
China Traders' Insurance.	600	1,666.66	500	475,000	91,023.49	70	\$1600
C'lon Ins. Office.	10,000	250	250	...	...	...	\$800 per share
Chinese Ins. Co.	1,500	1,000	200	100,373	42,869.79	6	\$280 ex div.
H.K. Fire Ins.	2,000	1,000	200	701,642	226,847.81	87 1/2	\$800
China Fire Ins.	4,000	500	100	433,984	103,029.68	18 1/2	\$290
SEAFARERS.							
H.K. & S'hai M. S. Co.	8,000	100	75	135,000	...	6	\$235 prom. ex
China Coast S. Navigation.	5,000	100	100	78,932	31,474.04	16 1/2	...
MISCELLANEOUS.							
H.K. & W'p'oa Dock.	10,000	125 1/2	125 1/2	80,000	1,489.20	4 1/2	92 1/2 p. sh.
H.K. & China Gas Co.	5,000	10 1/2	10 1/2	7,480	...	...	...
H'kong Hotel.	2,000	100	100	...	...	...	\$24 + \$100 p. sh. ex
China Sugar Co.	6,000	100	100	...	...	...	\$12 + \$150
H'kong Ice Co.	1,250	100	100	...	...	...	\$130 p. share
H'kong Bakery.	600	50	50	...	...	...	\$5 + \$200
LOANS.							
Chi. Imp.	1874	6,276 1/2	100	all	8	June 30 Dec 31	...
" "	1877	10,040 1/2	100	all	8	Feb. 28 Ag. 31	...
" "	1878	3,899 1/2	500	all	8	April & Oct.	...
" "	1881	8,656 1/2	500	all	8	June & Dec.	3 1/2 p. sh.
Sugar Deben- tures, 1890.	600	\$300,000	all	8	June & Dec.	3 1/2 p. sh.	...

Hongkong Rates of Postage.

(Revised January 1st, 1892.)

In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in cents, and are, for Letters per half ounce, for Books and Pamphlets, per two ounces.

Newspapers over four ounces in weight are charged as double, triple, &c., as the case may be, but sent papers or packets of papers may be sent at Book Rate. Two Newspapers must not be folded together as one, nor must anything whatever be inserted except bona-fide Supplements. Printed matter may, however, be enclosed, if the whole be paid at Book Rate. Prices Current may be paid either as Newspapers or Books.

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though Written by Hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, bills, copied a/c's, &c. The charge on them is the same as for books, but, whatever the weight of a packet containing any partially written paper, it will not be charged less than 5 cents.

The sender of any Registered Article may accompany it with a Return Receipt on paying an extra fee of 6 cents.

The limit of weight for Books and Commercial Papers to Foreign Post Offices is 4 lbs. Packages for such offices are limited to 8 ounces, and must not exceed these dimensions: 8 inches by 4 inches by 2 inches.

Countries of the Postal Union.

The Union may be taken to comprise Europe, all foreign possessions in Asia, Japan, W. Africa, Egypt, Mauritius, all N. America, Mexico, Salvador, Brazil, Peru, Chili, Venezuela, The Argentine Republic, Jamaica, Trinidad, Guiana, Honduras, Bermuda, Lebanon, Hawaii, with all Danish, French, Netherlands, Portuguese and Spanish Colonies.

Countries not in the Union.—The chief countries not in the Union are the Australasian Group, and S. Africa.

Postage to Union Countries.

General Rates, by any route—

Letters, 10 cents per 1/2 oz.
Post Cards, 5 cents each.
Registration, 10 cents.
Newspapers, 2 cents each.
Books, Pamphlets, & 2 cents per 2 oz.
Comm. Papers, 2 cents per 2 oz.
There is no charge on redirected correspondence within the Postal Union.

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Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania, and Fiji, via *Terra Australis*, Letters, 10; Registration, 10; Newspapers, 2; Books and Patterns, 2; *Via Galle*, Letters, 25; Registration, 10; Newspapers, 2; Books and Patterns, 5.

Natal, the Cape, St. Helena, Ascension, Bolivia, Costa Rica, Letters, 25; Registration, 10; Newspapers, 5; Books and Patterns, 5.

LOCAL POSTAGE.

General Local Rates (for Hongkong, Macao, China, Japan, S'hai, &c.)

Letters, 10 cents per 1/2 oz.
Post Cards, 5 cents each.
Registration, 10 cents.
Newspapers, 2 cents each.
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The Post Office is not legally responsible for the safe delivery of Registered correspondence, but it is prepared to make good the contents of such correspondence lost while passing through the Post, to the extent of \$10, in certain cases, provided—

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2. That the letter was securely enclosed in a reasonably strong envelope.

3. That application was made to the Postmaster General of Hongkong immediately the loss was discovered, the envelope being invariably forwarded with such application unless it also is lost.

4. That the Postmaster General is satisfied that the loss occurred whilst the correspondence was in the custody of the British Postal administration in China, that it was not caused by any fault on the part of the sender, by destruction by fire, or shipwreck, nor by the dishonesty or negligence of any person not in the employment of the Hongkong Post Office.

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Hongkong, December 6, 1870.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked A, near the Kowloon shore K, and those in the body of the Harbour or midway between each shore are marked in, in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section.
1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
2. From Gas Works to the Naval Yard.
3. From Naval Yard to the Harbour Master's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's Office to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.

Section.
5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
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Ashington	Brit.	str.	809	Jan. 28	Adamson, Bell & Co.	San Francisco, &c.	10th inst.
Cebu	Brit.	Amor.	373	Nov. 20	Siemssen & Co.	Bangkok	
China	Brit.	Ger.	str.	648	Feb. 6	Kwok Achong & Sons	Swatow
City of Tokio	Brit.	Amor.	5079	Feb. 6	P. M. S. S. Co.	Yama & San Francisco	
Conquest	Brit.	Brit.	str.	318	Sept. 24	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Swatow & Bangkok
Consolation	Brit.	Brit.	str.	754	Dec. 1	Xuen Fat Hong	at daylight
Cruiser	Brit.	Brit.	str.	640	Jan. 27	Joong Yuen	Bangkok
Danube	Brit.	Brit.	str.	561	Jan. 31	Xuen Fat Hong	K'loon Dock
Emaratada	Brit.	Brit.	str.	395	Feb. 4	Russell & Co.	To-morrow
Fano	Brit.	Brit.	str.	117	Jan. 10	H. K. & W'pon Dock Co.	Amoy
Glenlog	Brit.	Brit.	str.	900	Jan. 28	Order	Tug Flying
Harbour	Brit.	Brit.	str.	278	Feb. 6	Afong & Shing Loong	Hoihow, &c.
Hongkong	Brit.	Brit.	str.	558	Feb. 6	Kwok Achong & Sons	
Hungary	Brit.	Brit.	str.	1460	Jan. 28	Siemssen & Co.	
Japan	Brit.	Brit.	str.	1865	Feb. 5	Molchers & Co.	Trieste, &c.
Johanna	Brit.	Span.	str.	654	Dec. 19	David Sassoon, Sons & Co.	Straits and Calcutta
Kaiman-i-Hind	Brit.	Brit.	str.	2559	Feb. 6	R. Moure	K'loon Dock
Leopold	Brit.	Brit.	str.	1327	Feb. 6	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Europe, &c.
Li Tai	Brit.	Brit.	str.	1327	Feb. 6	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Straits and Calcutta
Namoa	Brit.	Annamstr.	str.	1090	July 7	Captain	
Oceanic	Brit.	Brit.	str.	3708	Jan. 21	Douglas Laprak & Co.	Coast Ports
Sea Gull	Brit.	Amor.	str.	48	Nov. 24	O. S. S. Co.	Yama & San Francisco
Shun Tin	Brit.	Annamstr.	str.	93	July 7	China Traders' Insurance Co.	To-day
Silvery	Brit.	Brit.	str.	510	Jan. 14	Yuen Fat Hong	
Solway	Brit.	Brit.	str.	2500	Feb. 6	P. & O. S. N. Co.	at daylight
Wanderer	Brit.	Brit.	str.	840	Jan. 15	Yamaguchi & Yama	8th inst.
Yokohama	Brit.	Brit.	str.	286	Feb. 6	Kwok Achong & Sons	Swatow
Sailing Vessels							
Adam M. Simpson	Amer.	sh.	1487	Feb. 2	Master	Victoria (V. 1.)	
Adolph	Ger.	bgo.	888	Jan. 14	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Portland (Oregon)	
Alden Bess	Amer.	bgo.	842	Jan. 31	Rozario & Co.	Philippines	
Andromeda	Ger.	sh.	1879	Jan. 21	Order	Victoria (V. 1.)	
Augusta	F.C.h.	bgo.	1396	Nov. 21	Messageries Maritimes	San Francisco	Cowtan Dock
Blue Jacket	Amer.	sh.	654	Feb. 6	Russell & Co.	Bangkok	
Bodily	Ger.	bgo.	331	Dec. 27	Siemssen & Co.	Portland (Oregon)	
Carl Gerhard	Ger.	bgo.	853	Jan. 1	Edmund Schellhaas & Co.	Rangoon	
Colona	Amer.	bgo.	1016	Jan. 21	Rozario & Co.	Havre and London	Singapore
Dorothea	Ger.	sh.	1016	Jan. 21	Siemssen & Co.	Tientsin	
Edwin Reed	Amer.	bgo.	1178	Jan. 20	Order	Tientsin	
Elise	Ger.	bgo.	513	Jan. 31	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Shanghai	K'loon Dock
Friedrich	Ger.	bgo.	595	Jan. 23	Siemssen & Co.	San Francisco	Cowtan Dock
Fritz	Ger.	sh.	1490	Jan. 16	Molchers & Co.	Singapore	
Hannah W. Dudley	Amer.	bgo.	1128	Jan. 10	Russell & Co.	Hamburg	
Hindustan	Amer.	sh.	1047	Jan. 20	Siemssen & Co.	Tientsin	
Importer	Brit.	sh.	1270	Jan. 20	Messageries Maritimes	Tientsin	
Jana Packet	Amer.	bgo.	874	Jan. 20	Russell & Co.	Shanghai	K'loon Dock
Johnston	Brit.	bgo.	678	Jan. 21	Siemssen & Co.	San Francisco	Cowtan Dock
Laurel	Brit.	bgo.	658	Jan. 4	Russell & Co.	Singapore	
Mary Whitcomb	Amer.	sh.	1396	Nov. 21	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Hamburg	
Minerva	Ger.	bg.	318	Jan. 31	Molchers & Co.	Tientsin	
Morning Star	Siann.	bgo.	570	Dec. 27	Chinese	Bangkok	K'loon Dock
Nellie M. Slade	Amer. Sm. co.	sh.	561	Feb. 2	Molchers & Co.		
Nestor	Ger.	sh.	1367	Jan. 11	Order		
Onida	Amer.	sh.	1130	Jan. 20	Captain		
Paray	Brit.	sh.	1180	Dec. 9	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Manila	
Prima	Brit.	sh.	636	Jan. 21	Russell & Co.	Manila	
R. T. Clayton	Amer.	bg.	1147	Jan. 21	Order		
Rajah	Ger.	sh.	1256	Jan. 13	H. K. & W'pon Dock Co.	Rangoon	
Raven	Brit.	bgo.	343	Jan. 4	Order		
San Francisco	Ger.	sch.	251	Feb. 3	Edward Schellhaas & Co.	Tientsin	
Silvan	Ger.	bgo.	270	Feb. 2	Siemssen & Co.	Tientsin	
Spirit of the Age	Amer.	sh.	81	Nov. 14	W. H. H. Co.	Shanghai	K'loon Dock
Sumatra	Amer.	sh.	1072	Jan. 20	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Syren	Amer.	sh.	875	Oct. 5	H. K. & W'pon Dock Co.		
Tecumseh	Amer.	sh.	1309	Jan. 20	Russell & Co.	Victoria (V. 1.)	
Twilight	Amer.	sh.	1303	Sopt. 27	Order		
Valparaiso	Ger.	bgo.	498	Jan. 31	Russell & Co.	New York	
W. J. Reddy	Amer.	sh.	1717	Jan. 9	Molchers & Co.	Victoria (V. 1.)	
Wakofield	Amer.	bgo.	897	Jan. 12	Russell & Co.	Portland (Oregon)	
WHAMPOA							
Benedicta	Jenon	sch.	247	Jan. 20	Wieler & Co.	Tientsin	
CANTON							
Peng-shun	Andrew	Chi.	str.	867	Feb. 30	M. S. N. Co.	Shanghai
Melt	Null	Chi.	str.	472	Feb. 40	M. S. N. Co.	